EXHIBIT 2

CERTIFICATION OF NAMED PLAINTIFF PURSUANT TO FEDERAL SECURITIES LAWS

NEW MEXICO EDUCATIONAL RETIREMENT BOARD ("PLAINTIFF"), declares the following as to the claims asserted under the federal securities laws:

- 1. Plaintiff has reviewed one of the complaints filed in this matter and has authorized the filing of a complaint based on similar allegations in a related or amended complaint. Plaintiff retains Bernstein Liebhard LLP and such counsel they deem appropriate to associate with to pursue such action.
- 2. Plaintiff did not purchase the security that is the subject of this action at the direction of Plaintiff's counsel or in order to participate in this private action.
- 3. Plaintiff is willing to serve as a lead plaintiff either individually or as part of a group. A lead plaintiff is a representative party who acts on behalf of other class members in directing the action, and whose duties may include testifying at deposition and trial. I understand that the litigation is not settled, this is not a claim form, and sharing in any recovery is not dependent upon execution of this Certification.
- 4. Plaintiff's transactions in the CBL & Associates Properties, Inc. common stock that is the subject of this action during the class period are as follows:

No. of Shares	Stock Symbol	Buy/Sell	<u>Date</u>	Price Per Share
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Please list other transactions on a separate sheet of paper, if necessary.

- 5. Plaintiff has been appointed to serve as a representative party for a class in the following actions filed under the federal securities laws during the three years prior to the date of this Certification: None.
- 6. Plaintiff is not currently seeking to serve as a representative party for a class in any actions filed under the federal securities laws.
- 7. Plaintiff initially sought to serve as a representative party for a class in the following actions filed under the federal securities laws during the three years prior to the date of this Certification: None.
 - 8. The undersigned is authorized to sign this Certification on behalf of Plaintiff.

9. Plaintiff will not accept any payment for serving as a representative party on behalf of the class beyond the Plaintiff's pro rata share of any recovery, except as ordered or approved by the court, any award for reasonable costs and expenses (including lost wages) directly relating to the representation of the class.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this day of July, 2016.

Signature

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Attachment New Mexico Educational Retirement Board Transactions in CBL & Associates Properties, Inc.

TRANSACTION					
TYPE	DATE	SHARES	PRICE (\$)		
SALE	08/26/11	10,200	14.1500		
SALE	08/29/11	6,800	14.7700		
SALE	08/30/11	24,300	14.7700		
SALE	08/31/11	19,000	14.8100		
	08/31/11	1,400	14.9300		
SALE	09/01/11	3,700	14.5800		
SALE			13.4900		
SALE	09/06/11	28,600	13.4400		
SALE	09/06/11	1,700			
SALE	09/07/11	22,500	14.0200		
SALE	09/08/11	17,200	13.8900		
SALE	09/20/11	7,500	13.5900		
SALE	09/22/11	200	12.4700		
SALE_	11/22/11	200	13.2400		
SALE	12/21/11	800	15.6800		
SALE	02/06/12	100	18.5600		
SALE	02/24/12	600	17.8600		
SALE	03/22/12	19,900	18.6200		
SALE	04/11/12	100	18.0900		
SALE	05/21/12	100	16.9900		
SALE	06/06/12	200	17.5300		
SALE	07/10/12	800	20.2100		
SALE	08/01/12	300	20.0200		
PURCHASE	10/09/12	3,600	21.3300		
SALE	11/01/12	18,500	22.6300		
SALE	06/05/13	20,500	22.1100		
PURCHASE	10/22/13	1,900	19.9700		
PURCHASE	10/22/13	4,200	19.9900		
PURCHASE	10/23/13	17,900	20.0500		
PURCHASE	10/23/13	9,300	19.9500		
PURCHASE	10/24/13	15,500	20.1300		
PURCHASE	10/24/13	50,600	20.1900		
PURCHASE	10/25/13	10,400	20.4500		
PURCHASE	10/25/13	28,400	20.5300		
PURCHASE	10/28/13	31,500	20.2300		
PURCHASE	10/28/13	16,900	20.1400		
PURCHASE	10/28/13	1,500	20.1700		
PURCHASE	10/29/13	11,100	20.0100		
PURCHASE	10/29/13	3,200	20.0800		
PURCHASE	11/06/13	10,500	18.6900		
PURCHASE	11/06/13	9,300	18.8900		
PURCHASE	11/13/13	37,300	18.8800		
PURCHASE	11/19/13	22,000	18.8000		
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TYPE	DATE	SHARES	PRICE (\$)
PURCHASE	01/30/14	2,100	16.9000
PURCHASE	02/05/14	200	16.5600
PURCHASE	02/05/14	1,800	16.7400
PURCHASE	02/05/14	7,900	16.6200
PURCHASE	02/05/14	30,200	16.5900
PURCHASE	02/26/14	53,900	17.4000
PURCHASE	03/04/14	5,200	17.3900
PURCHASE	03/04/14	6,200	17.3800
PURCHASE	03/04/14	7,500	17.3000
PURCHASE	03/04/14	7,800	17.3800
PURCHASE	03/07/14	3,700	17.4000
PURCHASE	05/01/14	140,400	18.1500
PURCHASE	05/16/14	1,400	18.7000
PURCHASE	05/16/14	6,000	18.7000
PURCHASE	05/16/14	9,800	18.7000
PURCHASE	05/19/14	6,300	18.9300
PURCHASE	05/20/14	13,600	18.9400
PURCHASE	05/21/14	8,700	18.6000
PURCHASE	05/21/14	17,400	18.8200
PURCHASE	05/21/14	20,200	18.8600
PURCHASE	06/02/14	19,500	18.9800
PURCHASE	07/31/14	26,500	18.7002
SALE	08/14/14	4,300	19.1562
SALE	08/15/14	4,700	19.0924
PURCHASE	10/22/14	25,600	18.5094
PURCHASE	10/23/14	8,000	18.5697
PURCHASE	03/20/15	37,400	19.5827
SALE	04/15/15	27,800	19.2465
SALE	04/15/15	800	19.3007
SALE	04/16/15	26,000	19.1930
SALE	04/17/15	8,400	19.0594
SALE	04/17/15	13,200	19.0337
SALE	04/20/15	12,200	18.8969
SALE	04/21/15	800	18.9899
PURCHASE	10/06/15	20,400	14.1475
PURCHASE	10/07/15	28,000	14.4275
SALE	03/31/16	15,000	11.8455